Interview Summary

Application No.	Applicant(s)
10/639,442	GOLDWASSER, BENAD
Examiner	Art Unit
Jeffrey G. Hoekstra	3736

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):					
(1) <u>Jeffrey G. Hoekstra</u> .	(3)				
(2) <u>Sanford Colb</u> .	(4)				
Date of Interview: <u>07 June 2007</u> .					
Type: a)☐ Telephonic b)☐ Video Conference c)⊠ Personal [copy given to: 1)☐ applicant 2	2)⊠ applicant's representative	e]			
Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes If Yes, brief description:	e)⊠ No.				
Claim(s) discussed: <u>1,11 and 16</u> .					
Identification of prior art discussed: <u>Choy & DeMarco</u> .					
Agreement with respect to the claims f) \boxtimes was reached. g) \square was not reached. h) \square N/A.					
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: <u>See Continuation Sheet</u> . (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims					
allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)					
THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.					

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Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Applicant and Examiner discussed the outstanding Final Rejection mailed 04/18/2007, arguments and remarks in response thereto, and proposed claim amendment(s) appearing to obviate the currently applied art rejections.

The proposed amendment to the end of claims 1, 11, and 16 positively recited the limitation "wherein when said guidewire is pulled by said inflatable device said gastrointestinal tool slides relative thereto".

The Examiner urged Applicant to further amend the claims to avoid 103(a) rejections of the claims under the prior art of record.